

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY KIGALI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3334

INFO AMEMBASSY BONN

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AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI

C O N F I D E N T I A L KIGALI 35

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR UG US

SUBJECT: US-UGANDAN DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS

REF: BONN 877

1. AS INDICATED IN EMB KIGALI OCCASIONAL REPORTING ON UGANDA OVER RECENT MONTHS, WE SURMISE SIGNIFICANT SEGMENT OF MORE-OR-LESS WESTERN DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS IN KAMPALA WOULD WELCOME A RENEWED US PRESENCE IN KAMPALA. THEIR MOTIVATION IS DESIRE TO LOWER THEIR EXPOSURE BY HAVING AMERICANS SERVE ONCE MORE AS THE LIGHTENING ROD FOR AMIN'S TANTRUMS.

2. ALTHOUGH NOT PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED BY GOR, AMIN WAS SLATED VISIT RWANDA IN NOVEMBER AND GOR WAS ENGAGED IN ACTIVE PREPARATIONS. ANTICIPATED DATES WERE CONTINUALLY POSTPONED AND VISIT EVENTUALLY EVAPORATED. SENIOR GOR OFFICIALS HAVE RECENTLY COMMENTED PRIVATELY (WITHOUT BEING SPECIFIC) THAT NO VISIT TO RWANDA IS CONFIDENTIAL

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FORESEEN AS AMIN IS PREOCCUPIED WITH THREATS TO HIS

AUTHORITY AND THAT UGANDAN SITUATION IS "SHAKY". FRITTS

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